THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE V.ESWARAIAH

WRIT PETITION No.11846 of 2007

Between:

Om Venkatesa Educational Society and another.

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PETITIONERS

and

Government of Andhra Pradesh and others.

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RESPONDENTS

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ORDER:

It is the case of the petitioners that the applications filed by them for starting B.Ed. Colleges before National Council for Teacher's Education (for short "N.C.T.E") were considered and the recognition under Section 14(3)(A) of N.C.T.E. Act was granted on 12-04-2007 and 14-04-2007 respectively. Thereafter, the petitioners applied for grant of affiliation to Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, which is the affiliating body for educational institutions in the S.V.University area and the said University also granted affiliation for establishment of B.Ed Collages for the academic year 2006-07 vide proceedings, dated 29-05-2007. Thereafter, the petitioners approached the respondents for allotment of students to their colleges but the respondents expressed their inability to allot students to the petitioners on the ground that the grant of recognition by N.C.T.E. was delayed. Aggrieved by the same, this writ petition has been filed.

On the instructions, the learned Standing Counsel appearing for respondents 2 and 3 submits that in fact the EdCET admissions in respect of the academic year 2006-07 were already closed by 14-04-2007 and in fact, the test for the next academic year i.e., 2007-08 is conducted on 10-06-2007 and, therefore, the petitioners are not entitled to get any admissions for the academic year 2006-07 as the admissions were already over.

Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, the writ petition is dismissed with a liberty to the petitioners to take appropriate action to get the students allotted or admitted for the next academic year 2007-08. There shall be no order as to costs.

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12-06-2007

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